lo disruption of rail services on the New Delhi-Bhopal route, the Court made some observations of the extradition proceedings of Mr. Warren Anderson.

(b)and (c) According to the CBI, they have been periodically keeping the Court at Bhopal informed of the deve-lopments. A targe number of documents are necessary for initiating extradition proceedings. These documents have since been forwarded by the CBI.

MALPRACITCES IN THE EXPORT AND IMPORT OF DRUG

3035. SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR ': Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that some drug manufacturers export drugs at a much lower price compared to the cost of the import content of the drug itself like the exporters of ETHAMBUTOL, thus pio-viding sufficient scope for malpractice; and

(b) what are ide yearwise details of the import of DL-2 AMINOBUTONOL and DTARTARBD ACID imported by major expoiters of the concerned drug from 1987-88 to 1992-93 under the following heads;

(i) Duty free import made for export production;

(ji) Duty paid imports made *toi* domestic production;

(iii) C. I. F. prices and landed cost of both types of imports realisation on exports; and

(iv) other incentive's availed by ex-porters ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FER-TILIZERS WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND DEPARTMENT OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT -(SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO) : (a) No sucb instance has come to the notice of the Ministry.

(b) Collection and analysis of the iciuminious information would not be commensurate with the time and effort involved and the results likely to be achieved. However, if any specific instance is reported to comes to the notice, the sa*me* could be examined for necessary action.

BULK DRUG RANITIDINE AND FORMULATION PRICES.

3036. PROF. I. G. SANADI :
SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU :
SHRI ANANTRAM JAFSWAL :
Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased o refer to the answer to Unstarred Ques-lon 3075 given in the Rajya Sabha on hi 19th August, 1993 and state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the landed cost of import of Ranitidine as well as its domestic price from largest producer, Mis. Globe Pharmaceuticals is around Rs 2000 per kg;

(b) whether it is a fact that formula-ion prices are based on a price of Rs. 4396 per kg. w;e.f. 17th March, 1988 and are just double the fair price of formulation;

(c) if so. who is responsible for this [apse; and

(d) the reasons for which the price of he bulk drug has not been notified even after six years of promulgation off DPCO 1987 and whether Government would investigate the delay ?

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IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND DEPARTMENT ' OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO) : (a) to (d) The prices of leader packs of formulations based on bulk drugs Ranitidine were notified on 20-6-1988 on the basis of weighted average import price of Rs. 4396|- kg. computed for 9 months period of 1987-88. After the promulgation of the Drug (Prices Control) Order, 1987, the then major producer of Rani tidine was exempt from price control under the provisions of DPCO, 1987 for 5 years. On the expiry of this period cost-cum-technical study of this has been taken up by BICP.

GOVERNMENTS PROCRASTINATION IN FINALISING NEW DRUG POLOOY.

3037. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 884 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 9th December, 1993 and state :

(a) what are the reasons for not finalising the New Drug Policy;

>(b) whether Government have sought proposals from pharmaceutical industry on pricing and monitoring mechanism,

(c) whether any proposals have beer received; and

(d) if so, the details thereof ?

'THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND DEPARTMENT OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO) : (a) to (d) Consultation with various interest groups, including the Pharmaceutical Industry, formed part of the review of Drug Policy, 19S6. Discussions On this subject have taken place in the House on 18th, I9th Hid 23rd August, 1993. Consideration of the matter is now in an advanced stage.

एच.एफ.सी. द्वारा आरम्भ की गई परियोजनाएं

3038. श्री राम सिंह राठवा : क्या प्रधान मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या यह सच है कि 1985-90 की अवधि के दौरान एच.एफ.सी. द्वारा आरम्भ की गई परियोजनाओं में काफी विलम्ब हुआ है और उनकी लागत में भी वृद्धि हुई है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इन परियोजनाओं का परियोजनावार ब्यौरा क्या है;

(ग) क्या यह भी सच है कि इस संबंध में कोई समय सीमा निर्धारित नहीं की गई है; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं और इस संबंध में उत्तरदायी व्यक्तियों के विरुद्ध क्या कार्यवाही की गई है ?

रसायन एवं उर्वरक मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री और संसदीय कार्य मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री का तथा इलेक्ट्रानिकी विभाग और महासागर विकास विभाग में राज्य मंत्री का अतिरिक्त प्रभार (श्री एडुआर्डो फैलेरिओ) : (क) और (ख) हिन्दुस्तान फर्टिलाइजर कार्पोरेशन लि. (एच एफ सी) द्वारा 1985-90 की अवधि के दौरान हाथ लेंगी गयी परियोजनाओं के ब्यौरे अनुबन्ध में दिएगए हैं । (देखिये) [परिशिष्ट 169, अनुपत्र सं. 60] इससे पता चलता है कि हल्दिया परियोजना को छोड़कर अन्य मामलों में अनुमोदित संशोधित लागत अनुमानों में कोई लागत वृद्धि नहीं हुई।

(ग) और (घ) विभिन्न परियोजनाओं को पूरा करने के लिए समय-सीमाएं निर्धारित की गयी थी।